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**ATTENTION: BOX AFTER FINAL  
RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED  
EXAMINING GROUP 3621**

**PATENT**  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 08159.0016

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
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Charles Eric HUNTER et al. ) Group Art Unit: 3621  
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Application No.: 09/487,978 ) Examiner: ELISCA, P.  
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Filed: January 20, 2000 )  
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For: MUSIC DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM )  
AND ASSOCIATED ANTIPIRACY )  
PROTECTIONS )

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

This reply is filed in response to the Final Office Action issued on October 2, 2002, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116. Reconsideration of this application in view of the following amendments and remarks is respectfully requested.

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

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Please cancel claims 1, 2, 4, 16, and 25 without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter thereof.

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